

TRUSTS TO BE PLACED ON GRILL THIS WEEK

House Committees Forget Rivalry for Credit of Aiding Administration Measure.

The trusts will be on the grill before the committee of the House this week. Putting aside temporarily their friendly rivalry for the credit of furthering the administration's anti-trust program, the House Committee on Judiciary and the Senate Committee on Commerce will begin their hearings on the bill to regulate interstate commerce, which will continue, perhaps, for several weeks.

The Judiciary Committee will begin its hearings Thursday, with Congressmen Henry and Stanley as the first witnesses. Friday the Interstate Commerce Committee will begin the examination of witnesses with views regarding the regulation of big business, and Joseph E. Davies, commissioner of corporations, probably will be the first expert heard.

While there is a certain amount of rivalry between the two House committees, it is now arranged that the Judiciary Committee shall have charge of the bills defining monopoly, establishing rules of trade relations and prohibiting interlocking directorates. The Interstate Commerce Committee will have jurisdiction of the bills to create a trade commission and to regulate issuance of railway stocks and bonds.

Outlines Activities. Chairman Adamson, of the Interstate Commerce Committee, has issued a statement outlining the activities of his committee and showing that this committee has understood that it would have an important part in putting through the Administration program for the regulation of trusts. Mr. Adamson says in part:

"There are several bills before the committee on these subjects, some introduced by members of the committee and others by different members of Congress. The latest bill introduced on the subject of trade commissions was introduced by Mr. Clayton, of Alabama. The chairman expressed his approval of that bill in the main, though he had some reservations as to certain provisions on the subject.

"That bill, as introduced, is nothing more than an enlargement of the Bureau of Corporations, which, as proposed in the bill, is to be taken out of the Department of Commerce and made an independent commission. That Bureau of Corporations was created on a report of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee ten years ago.

"The members of that committee have been familiar with it, and its operation having proved satisfactory, it is appropriate to recognize its growth and give it a stronger and more influential and dignified standing as an independent commission instead of a bureau in a department.

Are Nearly Complete.

"The hearings on various important matters affecting the regulation of commerce which have engaged the attention of the committee since the opening of this session of Congress have mostly been completed, and those unfinished have been postponed in order to give the committee time to consider the bill which the public has at all been misled by press dispatches as to the legitimate jurisdiction of this committee, or the ability and disposition of the committee to give adequate and prompt attention to subjects entitled to its consideration. It is not the fault of this committee. The committee was actually at work on these subjects before the President's message came in.

"The committee was aware that when the President's message should come to be distributed by the House, the jurisdiction of the committee would be fully respected, but the delivery of the President's message and his urgent appeal for prompt action on the matters subject to the jurisdiction of this committee entitle them to prompt consideration, which the committee has determined to give them, and no other general legislation will be undertaken by the committee either as to hearings or consideration until those have been finished.

"Persons interested in these two subjects who are prepared to furnish any information on them are cordially invited to correspond with the chairman of the committee, with a view to being heard. The chairman would be glad to have the benefit of the enlightened sentiment of the business interests of the country on both subjects.

Woman Overcome by Smoke Near Death

Overcome by smoke from a wood fire in the stove, Mrs. Minnie Fisher, fifty years old, was found unconscious this afternoon lying on the floor in the kitchen of her home, 1418 U street southeast. An ambulance was called and she was taken to Casualty Hospital where it was said she would recover.

Consumption Takes 350 People Daily

In the United States, and the deadly germs claim more victims in cities than in rural districts, due no doubt to the increased number of indoor workers in confining quarters and their lack of sunshine.

Tubercular germs always attack when the system is weakened from colds or sickness, overwork, overstrain, confining duties, or any drain which has reduced the resistive forces of the body. But nature always provides a corrector, and the best physicians emphasize that during changing climate our blood should be kept rich and pure and active by taking Scott's Emulsion after meals; the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion warms the body by enriching the blood—it peculiarly strengthens the lungs and upholds the resistive forces of the body to avoid colds and prevent consumption.

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MR. and MRS. P. C. KNOX, Jr.

Sen and daughter-in-law of former Secretary of State, who are accused of failure to pay bill of \$188 to Philadelphia firm. Complainant unable to serve summons because husband cannot be found, and Mrs. Knox is "extremely difficult to see."

Accredited Students Are Exempted From Exams

Students of any institution accredited by the United States Military Academy, or those who have satisfied college entrance board examinations, or who can present a clean bill of health in algebra, geometry, and English, will be exempt from the mental examination to West Point, according to an order issued at the War Department.

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SUFFRAGIST LOBBY CHARGED BY ANTIS

Resolution Adopted Declaring Tactics of Equal Righters "Undignified."

Charging the suffragists of Washington with maintaining a paid lobby at the Capitol to influence lawmakers in favor of suffrage legislation, and declaring the tactics of the suffragists to be "undignified, unwomanly and therefore subversive of good morals," a resolution embodying these statements was adopted by executive committee of the District Association Opposed to Suffrage at a meeting yesterday.

The resolution follows: "Whereas the woman's suffrage organizations have for the past year maintained their headquarters in the National Capital, intruding their unwelcome presence on an orderly and law-abiding community, and creating an atmosphere of noisy unrest and discontent, as we and it is hereby resolved, that the District Association Opposed to Suffrage, in its efforts to secure legislation, and, 'Whereas the suffragists, in so doing, seriously retard and interfere with the prompt dispatch of public business of the most vital importance to the nation, and

"Whereas the public conduct of the suffragists is undignified and unwomanly, and therefore subversive of good morals; therefore, be it

"Resolved, and it is hereby resolved, that the District Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage and representing self-respecting and patriotic womanhood, places itself on record as condemning in the strongest terms the aims of the suffragists and the means employed by them to attain these aims as unwomanly, unpatriotic, and detrimental to the welfare of the nation in that they tend to weaken constituted authority, undermine the home and destroy Christian citizenship, and

"Resolved, that we heartily endorse every member of Congress who, in the discharge of his sworn public duties, refuses to be swayed from the path of honesty and manly conviction by threats, inducements, or otherwise."

Falls From Car.

Suffering from concussion of the brain, Walter F. Gray, forty-one years old, of 54 East Capitol street, is a patient today in Emergency Hospital. He was injured by falling while attempting to board a car at Fourteenth and F streets northwest, last evening.

LAUDED BY FRIENDS



MISS BLANCHE L. PATTISON.

Colorado Gets Radio Flash Wireless stations as far West as Chicago caught the New Year signal sent out from the Arlington, Va., radio station, according to the report given out today.

Many amateur operators caught the New Year signal. In South Dakota, a former navy wireless operator caught the flash.

Will Remove Cause by Stimulating

will remove the cause by stimulating the liver, making the bile and constipation poison move on, and out of the bowels. One taken tonight straightens you out by morning—a 10-cent box will keep your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular, and make you feel bright and cheerful for months. Children need Cascarets, too.

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WANT PROMOTION FOR MISS PATTISON

Parents and Teachers' Body Asks Thurston to Indorse Her as Supervisor.

With many years of experience in teaching at the Force and Franklin Schools, and the wide knowledge of the affairs of the principalship of the Hubbard School for the past six years, Miss Blanche L. Pattison is today receiving hearty support for the position as supervising principal of the third division, made vacant by the appointment of Stephen L. Kramer as Assistant Superintendent of Public Schools.

The Parent and Teachers' Association of the Hubbard School is backing Miss Pattison, and has sent Superintendent E. L. Thurston its approval, asking that Miss Pattison receive his indorsement before the Board of Education.

Miss Pattison's work at the Hubbard School is well known. She has increased the enrollment of the Hubbard until it is one of the strongest schools in the northern section.

Unbounded enthusiasm, a strong personality, and ability in supervision and direction, with a sympathy and feeling for each pupil, have earned Miss Pattison many friends, who are strong in her support for the position of supervising principal.

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